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WEATHER REPORT
Cloudy and much colder tonight; temperature tonight about 28 degrees; Saturday fair and colder.
High tide 3:52 a. m. and 4:17 p. m.

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RUSSIANS STILL CLAIM VICTORIES

Austro-Germans Lose in Important Battles in Eastern Zone

ENEMY RETREATING

Troops of Francis Joseph Leaving Czerwitch and Fleeing Before Superior Force.

Petrograd, March 26—Decisive victory at point where important battles are going were reported in dispatches received here today.

An unofficial report says the Austrians are again evacuating Czernowitz, capital of Bukowina. A semi-official statement from the war office reports the Austro German armies near the Lupkow pass driven from the railway stretching north to Permysl.

Dispatches from two Roumanian frontier towns, relayed here from Bucharest, report the Austrians in flight from Czernowitz before a large Russian force that broke over the Pruh river both east and west of the Bukowina capital.

One Slav army, Bucharest reported was pursuing the fleeing Austrians, while the second was moving in to occupy Czernowitz. The war office however has no confirmation of this report, and officials point out that in the past Bucharest dispatches regarding the Bukowina campaign have not always been reliable.

In the Lupkow pass region a Russian army has paved the way for a new dash into Hungary by seizing a commanding position near the heights dominating the pass itself. A large body of the enemy's troops that threatened Russian railway communications with Permysl has been rolled back in the direction of Baligrod. The way is thus cleared for the speedy transportaion of the Muscovites who besieged permysl to the Lupkow and Uszok regions, where a battle of tremendous importance is now being fought. The Austrian prisoners in the fighting near Lupkow already total more than 7,000.

ITALY AND AUSTRIA

Both Nations Are Said to be Preparing for Eventualities

Geneva, March 27.—The Austrian government now considers war with Italy more than probable according to dispatches received here from Vienna. Half a million troops have arrived in the Tyrol and Trieste, where defensive works are being constructed.

An uncensored dispatch to the Tribune from the Austrian border states that Austrian military engineers have blown up with dynamite all the buildings between Sugana Pass, in Trent, and Lake Guarda, on the Italian frontier, which would be in the line of artillery fire. The eastern part of the town of Roveretc is reported to have been abandoned and all the buildings torn down.

All persons suspected of pro-Italian sympathies are said to have been sent into the interior to be interned.

The Italian government ordered the seizure yesterday at Luino, near the Swiss frontier, of 29 freight cars containing graphite, sulphur, and other supplies said to have been destined for the Krupp gun works at Essen, Germany. The Tribune reports that an Italian agent at Luino was arrested on the charge of purchasing materials.

Rome, March 25—The Italian government is said to have refused a request made by Germany that a mission sent to Erythrea be permitted to continue its journey through that district into Abyssinia. Italy's refusal is reported to have been based upon the belief that the object of the mission was to incite attack by Abyssinian forces in the Sudan.

Erythrea is an Italian protectorate in East Africa, bordering on the Red Sea, opposite Turkish territory in Asia.

NEWS OF THE DAY

After admitting that she had accepted $40 from the German military authorities to enter the French lines and secure information, Marguerite Schmitt, a French woman, was shot to death as a spy yesterday at Luneville, France.

The Dutch steamship Medea was sunk in the English Channel yesterday by the German submarine P-28, according to an announcement made last night by the official press bureau.

The British admiralty last night announced it has good reason to believe the German submarine U-29 has been sunk with all hands. The U-29 is the German raider credited with sinking many English and neutral ships in the English Channel, North Sea, and Irish Sea.

American submarine F-4, submerged at 9:15 a. m. yesterday, two miles off Honolulu Harbor, had not reappeared at night fall, and grave fears were expressed for its safety. The F-4 carries a crew of twenty-five men.

"There is no doubt of it. I was never so confident of victory as now, I am as confident as Grant was when he took command of the Army of the Potomac. He kept at it and so shall we." This is the outcome of the great European war as seen by Field Marshall Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces in France, and expressed to Frederick Palmer, the famous American war correspondent.

Fire devastated the third and fourth floors of the Adam A. Weschler storage building, a four-story structure at 920 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Washington, last night. Damage by the flames is placed at from $10,000 to $30,000, with a $20,000 loss from water.

Fiifty thousand Serbs have died from cholera during the past few months. The plague is expected to sweep the old world.

Statewide prohibition by constitutional amendment was defeated in the Minnesota House of Representatives yesterday when an attempt to obtain adoption of the minority report of the temperance committee recommending for passage a resolution submitting the issue to the people at the next general election was defeated, 54 yeas and 50 nays being the outcome of the vote.

"The more daylight," movement has struck Germany for economic reasons. On April 1 the hands of every clock in Germany will be advanced an hour. The Germans estimated that by rising an hour earlier and retiring an hour earlier during the six summer months they will save $5,000,000 worth of petroleum.

James Maneeley, a Philadelphia detective, was shot and killed and Harry Tucker, another detective, wos mortally wounded last night in a running revolver battle with Jacob B. Miller, whom they had attemptd to arrest on a fugitive warrant. Miller, who is wanted at Princeton, N. J., escaped and has not yet been apprehended.

A. L. Thompson and C. D. Bixler, prominent business men of Carlisle, Pa., were killed, and two other men were injured, one probably fatally, in an automobile accident near here last night. The axle of the car broke in rounding a sharp curve and the machine turned turtle, burying three of its occupants beneath it. R. L. Early, one of the injured, is not expected to recover, while the fourth of the party was hurled clear of the wrecked car and escaped with slight injuries.

CHILD CRUSHED TO DEATH

Philadelphia, March 26.—Toping off of a tricycle which he was riding in front of his home, 5 year old Mahlon McIntyre, of East Cumberland St., rolled under the wheels of a dray Wednesday and was crushed to death. He was dead when an automobile in which he was placed reached St. Mary's Hospital. J. A. Detwiler, driver of the wagon, surrendered himself to the police of the Twenty-sixth district. He will be held to await the action of the Coroner.

CAPTORS FEED PERMYSL PEOPLE

Restoring Order in City and Alleviating Suffering.

WILL HOLD ON TO IT

Surrendered by Wireless—Yielding of Besieged Fortress Was by Direct Order of Staff.

Petrograd, March 26.—In the streets of conquered Permysyl there are handbill distributors—burly Russian soldiers in long, gray great coats—each with a sheaf of handbills in several languages, which they give away to anyone who will take them. They contain proclamation of the Russiian general, as follows:

"Civil inhabitants of Permysl are invited to consider themselves under the protection of the Russian Empire."

The proclamaton goes on to advise them at once to recognize that Russia has come, not for a time, but forever.

In public offices Russian officers already are taking hold of the life of the place and are carrying it on so that in civil affairs the surrender of the town from Austrian to Russian hands has been no more than an interruption of a few hours. The inhabiitants who remain are almost exclusively Jews. Immediately after the surrender thousands of them poured forth from the town along the northern road and endeavored to make their way forth by a broken bridge and a new trestle bridge which the Russiain engineers had just completed.

The Austrian commaudant, in the notice to them of the impending surrender, expressed regret that he was forced to hand them over defenseless to Russian mercies. These fleeing inhabitants were reassured and turned back before reaching the Russian lines, and were told to go to their homes, and resume their ordinary life.

Already feeding and relief stations are at work supplying their necessiities, and tranquility is entirely restored. The town itself has been very little damaged by the long siege. It lies in a cup-shaped dip among hills, on which forts are placed, and now it is ringed about with columns of smoke, which are still rising from the ruins of the forts, which the Austrians blew up before surrendering, and from the sites of the depots to which they set fire.

The outskirts of the town are converted into a single vast cemetery with the graves of more than 40,000 men who were killed or died during the siege. Nearly every house in the place contains a number pf sick or wounded men—more than 20,000 in all—for whom there existed no mediical comforts or even dressings, while the sanitary conditions had become unspeakable.

MAY BAR JEWS VOTING

Feast of Passover Conflict With Primiaries April 6.

Baltimore, March 27.—A serious problem involving the disfranchisement of probably more than 8,000 voters on next primary day, confronts the city. This is because of the Jewish Feast of the Passover, which begins next Monday at sundown.

The orthodox observance of the feast will not end till nightfall on April 6, primary day, and all orthodox Jewish voters will thus lose their votes. The orthodox element in the city is estimated at 8,000 families at least, and as there is at least one voter on the average of each family the number of votes eliminated will thus apparently range between 8,000 and 10,000.

The reform element of the Jews will not be affected. These who number something like 6,500 voters, will have finished their observance of the Passover feast on Monday, April 5.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS.

Second Annual Appearance Again Draws Packed House.

A packed house at the Westminster Building last night witnessed the second annual appearance of the Alexandria High School players and the performance was a repetition of the plays presented by them last year. The curtain went up promptly at 8:15 on "A Musical Hodgepodge," disclosing a number of prehistoric darkies and whites of Noahton before the Deluge, who first sahk a medley of antediluvian songs, including "Tipperary," "Along Came Ruth," "Michigan," and others. The opening chorus was followed by several solos, among the soloists being Miss Mary Nalls, Miss Katherine Billhimer, Mr. Stanley Blanton, Miss Anna Haslett, and lastly a piano solo by Miss Hilda Schneider. This was followed by other choruses and medleys and duets by Master Haslett and Miss Audrey Nalls, who possesses an unusual contralto voice for one so young. The following was the program for this first entertainment which took up forty-five minutes;

Scene—Noahton—Outside of Ark—Few days before flood—Prehistoric Loafers—Noah's men-servants and maid-servants.

PERSONELLE.

Sopranos—Audrey Gaines, Thelma Ballenger, Hilda Schneider, Mary Nalls, Katherine Billhimer, Marion Greenaway, Caroline West, Lorinne Risheill, Janie Sanders, Nina Fulton, Louise Schwarzman.

Altos—Dorothy Knight, Cora Pullman, Annah Haslett.

Tenors—John Wenzel, Clayton Bowman.

Basses—Irvine Billhimer, James Duncan, Fred Schwab.

Mascots—Audrey Nalls, Talbert Haslett.

Pianist—Sally Jean Adams.

Director—S. G. Blanton.

Costumes—Prehistoric costumes worn prior to flood; loaned by some of the first families of Alexandria.

The work of the pianist, Miss Adams, was appreciated by all. She played every piece without the aid of notes.

The second part of the evening's program was the farce comedy in three acts, "Preserving a Smith," a story of events on Noah's Ark, revealing the preservation of the original Smith. The acting was superb, and this, backed up by original scenery, made a big hit with the spectators. Every one of the principal characters, including John Smith, Noah, his wife, three sons, and their wives, was suited for their respective parts and read the lines of each character magniificently. Owing to the illness of Miss Dienelt, who was to play Flossy, wife to Shem, the part was taken by Miiss Katherine Billhimer, who, although having only a few days with her lines, acted them in a way that would do credit to a professioinal, as did also Misses Anderson, Le Hew and Haslett, who played the other three female parts.

The parts of the three sons of Noah were taken by Herbert Byrne, Robert Hancock ,and Jack Leadbeater, who supplemented their lines by excellent acting, and feeble old Noah himself could not have been represented any better than by Ashby Bladen. Hirst Hayes, who took the leading part iin "The Princess," last year was there again, with his wonderful acting in the character of little John Smith and the whole combinatioin, including the subordinate parts, were excellent. The following was the cast:

Act I—Noahton, near entrance to Ark. Time—a few days before the flood.

Act II—Interior of the Ark. Time—Afternoon of 20th day of flood.

Act III—Same.—Evening of same day.

CHARACTERS IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE.

Workman	John Curtin.
First Citizen	Con Mullins.
Second Citizen	Elwin Brawner.
Third Citizen	Clyde Smith.
First Loafer—	Leo Pohl.
Second Loafer	Gus Pohl.
John Smith	Hirst Hayes.
Messenger, No. 1,	Waller Barrett.
Messenger, No. 2	Tom Wattles.
Messenger, No. 3,	Hugh Williams
Ham Noah,	Herbert Byrne.
Jennie, wife to Ham	Ruth LeHew
Matilda, wife to Japheth	Annah Haslett.
Mrs Noah	Lucy Anderson.
Adam, a servant	Charles Carlin.
James, a servant	Charles Keegan
Shem Noah	Robert Hancock.

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TURKS MASSACRE MANY THOUSANDS

Christians Murdered and American Mission in Danger

ACTION OF AMERICA

Bishops and Ministers Among Victims—Doctor Proves Hero in Stopping Slaughter

Tiflis, March 26—Telegrams and letters from Urumiah, in northwestern Persia, describe the situation of the American Presbyterian mission there as desperate. Turkish regular troops and Kurds are persecuting and massacreing sAsyrian Christians

Harry P. Packard, the doctor of the missionary station at Urumiah of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, risked his life in a successful effort to prevent a frightful massacre at Geogtapa, where 3,000 Assyrians made their last stand. They had fought for three days and all their ammunition was gone. At this junction Dr. Packard unfurled an American flag and advanced between the lines. His act resulted in the saving of all but 200 of the Assyrians who had been burned in a church.

Fifteen thousand Assyrian Christians have taken refuge under the protection of the American Mission Station, while 2,000 are at the French Mission. A dispatch from Urumiah yesterday declared that 70 Turkish regular troops had entered the mission, hanged the Orthodox bishop, Mar Elia, and four Orthodox clergymen, and beat and insulted a missionary named Allen. Shortly before the 60 refugees had been dragged from the French mission and executed in spite of the tearful pleas of the nuns.

At Gulpashan the Kurds were particularly cruel. This was the last of a total of 103 Assyrian villages to hold out, and it was occupied a month ago. The Kurds ordered all the Assyrian males into the streets, tied them in groups of five, marched them to the graveyard, and killed the mbarbarously Girl babies and older women were then executed with great atrocity, while the young women were carried away as slaves.

As a result of the war, 12,000 Assyrians are taking refuge in the Caucasus. Some 17,000 are described as in imminent danger at the Urumiah missions, while 20,000 are dead or missng. Much property has been destroyed. The Assyrians fought their assailants bravely, and as long as they had ammuniton they were victorious.

The missionaries are untiring in efforts to help the people, and they are spending money to this end freely. In Urumiah they are disbursing the equivalent of $400 daily. Disease is prevalent among the refugees.

OPENING OF SEASON
BASE BALL
Tomorrow Afternoon
Game Called at
3:00 p. m.
For the first time in the History of Alexandria
Clark Griffith
Manager of the famous
Washington Nationals
Presents
His all star aggregation of young players, captained by the renowned
"Nick" Altrock
versus
ALEXANDRIA'S CHAMPIONS
" THE CARDINALS "
North Alfred St. Grounds

LOCAL BREVITIES

A vaccum cleaner plant is to be installed in the Alexandria post office and custom house. Bids will be opened in the office of the Supervising Architect's office, Washington, on April 19th, for the installation of the plant.

Williiam Henderson, colored, was sent to jail for 60 days today for stealing a sack of mackerel from the store of H. Kirk and Sons, yesterday afternoon.

The funeral of Miss Eliza Jones, 28 years old, who died Wednesday afternoon, will take place from the family home, 923 Oronoco street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be conducted by the Rev W. F. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

You will not cry "High Cost of Living" if you are one of the hundreds of Alexandria housewives who buy their groceries from Howard Bros. An investigation of their prices will prove that there is a big saving of money if you buy from their store. Read their advertisement in the Gazette every Friday.

J. M. Darden has sold to L. C. Vaughan and W. H. Cook the property at the southwest corner of Wilkes and Patrick streets; also the property on the west side of Patrick street, south of Wolfe, to H. W. Stavenson.

NEW LOVE CULT.

Eleven Persons Arrested as Result of the Death of young Woman

Alliiance, Ohio, March 26.—As a result of the death here yesterday of Miss Amy Tanner, 23 years old B. A. George head of the "New Love" cult, was taken into custody and ten other persons, five of them women, were detained as witnesses pending an examination.

The coroner gave an unofficial verdict that Miss Tanner's death was due to a powerful drug.

"The voice of God is the director of the affairs of the kingdom of Love cult," declared George in an interview given in jail today.

"We do not believe in free love," he said. "We do believe, though, that each man has one real wife, and we recognize that this wife, is not always the woman to whom he may have been married under the laws of man. That such a state should exist is unfortunate, but God is above the law, and 'the appointed in the Lord' is man's spirit wife and his only real wife."

George acknowledged being the high priest of the cult. "I am the church," he said. "Its teachings come to me from God through his voice."

According to the police George has compelled a money consideration in all of his spirit love alliances. Miss Tanner is said by the police to have given him all her savings.

PREVENTED SURRENDER

German Officer Said to Have Halted Plan of Turks

Paris, March 26—That Gen. von Sanders, a German army officer, attached to the Turkish army, prevented the surrender of the Dardanelles forts to the Anglo-French fleet, was a sensational piece of information received by the Echo today from its Burcharest correspondent.

Acording to this dispatch the cabinet held a stormy meeting in which the majority of the members were in favor of entering into negotiations with Vice Admiral Sackville Hamilton Carden, then commander of the international fleet.

Hearing of the government's intention, the German officer with a handful of soldiers, broke into the council chamber where he threatened to arrest any persons who dared to talk surrender.

"I will shoot the first man who enters into negotiations with the allies, be a private citizen or a member of the government," thundered Gen. von Sanders.

It is believed in Bucharest that, if the fleet gets as far as the Sea of Marmora, the Turks will capitulate.

INVESTIGATING VICE CONDITIONS

Mayor and Other Richmond Officials Summoned as Witnesses

MAY CALL THE CLERGY

Examination of Charges and Other Procedures Will Be Open to the Public Except to Boys.

Richmond, March 24—In accordance with instructions given by the joint committee of the City Council sitting as a court of inquiry to probe the charges of the Vice Commission Wednesday night, summonses were served yesterday by Sergeant at Arms George C. Ruskell on every member of the commission in the city and on Mayor George Ainslie.

They are called on to appear before the investigating committee at the meeting to be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Circuit court chamber, City Hall. Acting upon like instructions, Alfred L. McDowell clerk of the Council committees, served formal notice on each member of the Board of Police Commissioners that the official inquiry into the conduct of the officials of the entire Police Department will begin with the Tuesday night meeting. A batch of the notices was given to the police captain of each district, who signed a receipt for the notices, accepting service of them for the men of his district. Another batch was left at police headquarters for Chief of Police Werner and the officers operating from that central station of the department.

In the formal notice the members of the Police Department are advised that the reports received from the Mayor have been filed with the investigating committee and are open to the inspection of any member of the department who desires to examine them.

The first witness to be called at the meeting next Tuesday, it is understood, is Mayor Ainslie. Following the Mayor, the members of the Vice Commission will be examined.

The sitting of the investigators will be open to the public, from beginning to end, access to the hearing of testimony being denied only to persons under the age of twenty one years.

WILL OF E. F. ANDREWS.

By the terms of the will of Eliphalet F. Andrews, former official of the Corcoran Gallery of Art, in Washington, his jewelry, books, household effects, pictures and personal belongings are given to his wife, who also is to have $1,500. The remaining estate iis left in trust to the American Security and Trust Company and R. Rozier Dulaney, one-third for the benefit of Mrs. Andrews and the other two-thirds for the son, E. F. Andrews, Jr., and the daughter, Mary L. Andrews. When the son becomes twenty-one years old, he is to have an annuity of $2,000 until he is twenty-five, when he is to be entitled to his share. A similar provision is made as to the share of the daughter, except that she is not to have her share until forty years old. Mrs. Andrews is to be allowed free use of the home in Washington and the summer residence in Virginia.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad remembrance of my beloved son, HARRY HUDSON, who died three years ago today, March 26th, 1912.

Loving Mother.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

The box party given by Mrs. A. J. Ross, , Mrs J. W. Spencer, and Mrs. M. M. Bostwick, at Mrs. A. J. Ross' 211 north Patrick street, on the night of March 23rd, for the benefit of Old Dominion Division, 490, Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was largely attended, and proved a decided success.

The house was beautifully decorated in the G. I. A. colors.

Music was furnished by four young men of this city.

The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games of which flinch seemed to be most popular.

The prizes awarded in the donkey game were won by Mr. Maurice Simpson and Mrs. Nora Purvis.

The boxes, which were well filled with delicious lunches were auctioned off to the highest bidder. Mr. J. J. Goodwin, chief of Division, 317, B of L. E. acting as auctioneer.

The lunches being disposed of at a late hour, the company bade one another good night, declaring they had sepnt a very profitable as well as a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. C. B. Vance has returned to Harrisonburg after a visit to her husband, at 516 Cameron street. Mr. Vance is connected with the C & P Telephone Company in this city.

TOMORROW'S BIG GAME.

Team of Washington Nationals Will Arrive Tomorrow Morning.

The team of the Washington Nationals, captained by the world famous "Nick Altrock, which Manager Clark Griffith is sending here to play the Cardinals, will reach Alexandria from Charlottesville tomorrow morning ready for their appearance on the diamond tomorrow afternoon. It is expected that they will be greeted by a record breaking crowd as there is a desire on the part of every one to see the aggregation of new players who some day will be "stars" in the ranks of the Nationals. Altrock has prepared a number of new stunts which he will pulll off during the progress of the game.

Mayor Thomas A. Fisher will toss the first ball over the plate at three o'clock.

The grounds have been put in good shape and the Cardinals have been practicing hard for their first appearance this season. In their line up will be "Ham" Nugent, who knocked a home run off the Nationals at the exhibition game last season.

ANOTHER VICTIM.

Another pitiful case of temporary insanity caused by inability on the part of the victim to seceure narcotics by reason of the stringent enforcement of the Harrison anti-narcotic law was brought before the authorities last night when an elderly woman was the effect that she had consumed cause of her violent actions. Testimony of her relatives and friends were the effect that she had consumed an average of a pint of laudanum every day for several years. A lunacy commission will consider her case today.

Surprise Theater
Properly Projected Photoplays
TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAM.
J. Warren Kerrigan featured in a Victor Two Part Production
THE STORM
An emotional masterpiece.
The Mixup at Maxims
Eddie Lyons and Victor Ford in a Nestor Comedy that is a scream.
A Case of Poison
Broncho comedy drama in two parts
In the Mansion of Loneliness
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TOMORROW
THE BLACK BOX
Episode No. 2 Hidden Hands.

ANSWER TO QUESTIONS

Law Concerning Annexed Territory and Suggestions For Forming Fifth Ward

Many questions are propounded as to the course of the City Council after the city shall have assumed jurisdiction over the annexed territory on the 1st proximo. and for the information of all interested the following is published:

In compliance with section 1014a, clause 4, of the code, the clerk of the court of such county in whose office the land books are filed shall forthwith make and certify to the city from said land books a list of all real estate within the annexed territory as it appears on such land books, embracing everything therein in regard thereto.

The clerks of Alexandria and Fairfax counties have been requested to comply with this provision at once so that Messrs. Monroe and Lunt, who are making a quin-questial assessment or real estate of the city, may have the information.

The City Council of Alexandria has to take charge of and control of all the public roads in the annexed territory. The only public roads in the territory annexed are Hunting creek road, Duke street road extended and Leesburg pike road, or King street extended, in Fairfax county, and the Mushpot road, and Mount Vernon avenue through Rosemont and Braddock, in Alexandria county.

The streets in Braddock, Rosemont George Washington Park and other sub-divisions in the territory annexed that have been laid out and opened that have been laid out and ed formally by resolutions of the Board of Supervisors of the said counties respectively, the City Council has nothing to do with; but of course, the said Council may accept by ordinances any and all of said streets, and until it does so accept them they must be kept up by the owners of the sub divisions In the highways above mentioned the said Council has the same right that it has in the streets of the old part of the city, such as sewage, drainage, gas and water pipes, etc., telegraph and electric poles and for lighting purposes. Hereafter in the annexed territory no new street or alley shall be opened or projected except with the consent and approval of the said City Council.

It is suggested that the City Council, by ordinance, divide the new city into five wards, as follows: Let King street be the dividing line between the 1st and 2nd wards, and take the 3rd and 4th wards as far as Mrs. Baggett's. Let Alfred street from Hunting creek to the north line of the city be the dividing line between the 1st and 4th wards and the 2d and 3d wards. Let the western limits of the 3d and 4th wards be a line parallel to Alfred street and about on the south side of Mrs. Baggett's dwelliing, and let the 5th ward include all the land from Hunting creek to the west line of the city.

The said 5th ward will have two members of the Board of Aldermen and four members of the Common Council.

It seems that this change ought to be fair and just to the people of the annexed territory, as it would give them direct representation in the City Council, which would be much more desirable for them than to attach their territory to existing wards.

"MOVIE SERIALS"

A great many people think that by missing the first episode of any serial they will be unable to understand the plot. This is not so of the serials now running at the Surprise. A brief, comprehensive synopsis accompanies every episode, and patrons who have missed one or more episodes of any serial are thus able to keep up the thread of the story.

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Admiral Noah, builder and commander of the ark—Ashby Bladen.
Flossy, wife to Shem—Lucille Bienelt.
Japheth Noah, . . John Leadbeater.
"Old Calico," a daguerriopolis (now extinct) . . . Charles Keegan.
A servant . . . . Francis Summers.
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Alexandria will add 120 children to its school population, and increase its teaching force by four teachers, on next Friday when it takes possession of the brick school house in West End adjoining George Washington Park. The building will come to the city by reason of the decision of the Supreme Court in the annexation suit and Fairifax county will receive from the city the cost of the building and grounds fixed by the court at $9,682.58.

The school trustees of Alexandria have made no arrangements as yet for operating the school but it is expected that they will hold a meeting early next week when the subject will be discussed. They will report to Council the amount of money that will be required for the school to th end of the present school term.

Under the provisions of the Supreme Court of Appeals Alexandria will be compelled to furnish free tuition to the children of the residents of Fairfax county who are now attending school in the West End building.

DEATH OF LEO P. WHEAT.

Well-Known Musician And Composer Succumbs to Infirmities of Old Age.

Leo P. Wheat, composer, organist, and recognized as one of the most prominent musicians of the south, died early yesterday morning in a Washington hospital. Death was due to the infirmities of age.

Mr. Wheat was born in Memphis, Tenn., May 5, 1841. He was the son of the late Rev. J. T. Wheat, who was a minister of the Episcopal Church, and also for many years professor of English in the University of North Carolina, where Leo Wheat received his education.

Mr. Wheat studied music at Leipzig, Germany. After returning to the United States, Mr. Wheat was associated with the late Theodore Thomas, composer and orchestra director.

He was a composer of note, many of his compositions being favorities iin southern homes even today. He gave many of his own compositions in concert through the south.

For many years he was organist of the Monumental Church, Richmond, Va. He married Miss Florence Allen of Richmond in 1872, who, with six children, survives him.

The death of Leo P. Wheat brings to mind reminiscenses of Alexandria the year following the close of the war between the states. The deceased spent much of his time in this city where he had many friends and acquaintances, and he at times acted as organist of Christ Church. Hiis cousin, the late Milton Wheat, was also a musician, of more than ordinary ability, and the music rendered by them was grectly enjoyed by the large congregations that attended the historic place of worship at that time as well as the occasional concerts in public halls.

Mr. Wheat fought through the Civil War on the Confederate side and was always proud of the title of "rebel."

DEMOLISHING OLD LANDMARK.

Old "Kell House" at Queen and Fairfax Streets, is Being Razed.

The building at the southeast corner of Queen and Fairfax streets, one of the landmarks of Alexandria, is being razed, and it is understood that the hewn timbers, still in a perfect state of preservation, will be used in the construction of a residence by a citizen of Alexandria county. The building was one of the first brick-and-stone structures erected in Alexandria, and is said to have been occupied originally by a ship candler. Later it was purchased and remodeled for dwelling purposes by the late Isaac Kell, who made his home there for more than 50 years. L. Harrison Kell, a son of Isaac Kell, recently moved out of the building, after having lived there for 50 years. The venerable structure was considerably damaged by a high wind July 30, 1913.

DEATH OF MRS. LEWIS

Old and Well Known Resident of Alexandria Passes Away In Baltimore

Mrs. Evelyn Lewis, widow of Dr. M. M. Lewis, died in Baltimore at 12 o'clock today. Mrs. Lewis was a daughter of the late John H. Brent.

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THE LATE MRS. JACKSON.

The death in Charlotte, N. C., on Wednesday of Mrs. Mary Anna Jackson, widow of Thomas Jonathan Jackson, known after the first battle of Bull Run as "Stonewall" Jackson, naturally causes many references to the hero who at the beginning of his military career manifested a genius as well as a singularity which rivetted the attention of the world upon him. Appearing as a brilliant meteor it was not long before he took his place in the contellation of the greatest strategists of the world.

The Richmond News-Leader in lying respect to the memory of Mrs. Jackson says:

"To some her husband was an unknowable Puritan, awful in his genius for battle; to her he was the simplest of companions, lovable above all for his unshaken meekness.

'Soldiers shook their heads and wondered if he were not mad when they saw him stalking into a thicket to pray while the shells were breaking at the other side of the wood; he alone knew that he won his battles on his knees.

"They told strange tales of his actions on the march and they thought him a very judge in Israel when he raised his hand heavenward on some silent country road; she knew how, when he could leave the battle line, he would hasten to his wife, to his baby, to his devotions.

"His staff officers had stories innumerable of his vigilance in camp—how he would walk alone, unmindful of sleep, and surprise some sentinel at his post; she remembered one night when a little girl of 4 came to his house with her father, separated for the first time from her mother, and was aroused in the night by the great captain bending over her because he could not sleep until he was sure the little child was content.

"Men who staggered after him in the Valley or climbed Thoroughfare Gap with him in the hot August weather wondered if he had no mercy He remembered how patiently he toiled in a little Sunday school in Lexington, how generously he gave of his substance to all who would ask it.

"Observers in the winter of 1861-62 saw him remorseless, unflinching in soul without joy; she spent with him then, she wrote, "as happy a winter as ever falls to the lot of mortals upon earth."

"Some hinted that he wanted to raise the black flag, and told how he sent a soldier to death in 20 minutes for daring to disobey orders and to enter a private home; she knew how he tore the braid from his cap as a bauble for the little Corbin girl and wept in bitterness of spirit when he learned that the child had died.

'God made 'Stonewall' Jackson a great soldier; his strength of character made him a faithful Christain. We wonder if the gentle spirit that took its flight this morning did not make him a nobleman."

ROOT SEES TOO MUCH LAW.

Senator Root made a speech in New York yesterday in connection with the coming constitutional convention of that state. He said many true things among them one to the effect that the country has been raped with statutes. According to Senator, Congress and Legislatures have turned out the modest total of sixty two thousand acts in seven years, while courts have handed down sixty-five thousand decisions.

I believe it was Ambassador Choate who, upon one occasion sent some advice to a newly elected member of Congress. He advised the latter always to vote to adjourn. As to general principles he thought there always enough legislation on hand to keep Congress going five hundred years.

Senator Root's reference to the flood of bills passed by Legislatures of the different states calls to mind the fact that in a few years the Code of Virginia will approach the dimensions of a standard encyclopedia.

The laws of the city of Alexandria were codified by the late William F. Carne, by order of the city Council, in 1874. It is a modest publication of one hundred and sixty three pages including the introductory, summary of the history of the city, charter and index. A resolution was introduced in Council at the last meeting looking to the codification and publishing of the present laws. Should it be determined to print the same—and nothing is more necessary at present—the supplementary ordinances passed during the past forty years may swell the volume into a work as bulky as a Bible.

About two months ago the City Council took measures to induce the Legislature of Virginia to exempt Alexandria from the provisions of what was known as the civil police justice bill. Delegate J. F. Birrell was invited to meet the two boards in joint session and hear the objections of a majority of the members to the act. Mr. Birrell gave his reasons for championing the bill, stating that by the present complex laws the position of police justice should be filled by a man well versed in law. Under the old regime laymen could carry out the purpose of plain statutes, but under present conditions it would be difficult, according to Mr. Birrell.

WILSON REBUKES THE WAR SPIRIT.

It becomes more and more apparent every day that Woodrow Wilson is the right man in the right place at this particular time in the world's history. When Queen Esther would have avoided the danger in appearing before King Ahasuerus without having been invited to do so, her uncle put the significant interrogation to her, "Who knoweth whether thou art come to the Kingdom for such a time as this?" The beuaitful Jewess took on new life and played her part in averting what was intended as a wholesale massacre of her people by Haman, the last of the Amalekites.

The cautious proceedures of Woodrow Wilson and the manifestations of his wisdom at critical ordeals through which the country has passed during his incumbency of the presidential chair, seem to bring forth an inquiry similar to that addressed to Queen Esther.

The President yesterday attended the meeting of the Southern Methodist Conference in Washington where he made an address, during which he rebuked the jingoism of some Americans who, he said, are thoughtlessly attempting to "rock the boat." He asked the members of the conference to sustain him with their prayers and confidence.

It is pleasant to record such occurrences. While our President is appealing to the God of Peace, the German Emperor is invoking high heaven to bless his banners while the earth is drinking in the blood of many thousands.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels also visited the conference. Among other things he said that the great need of the age was to return to the narrow paths of old-time Methodism.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Supervising Architect's Office, Washington, D. C., March 22, 1915—Sealed proposals will be opened in this office at 3 p. m., April 19, 1915, for a vacuum cleaning apparatus at the United States customhouse and post office at Alexandria Va., in accordance with drawing and specification, copies of which may be had at this office or at the office of the custodian, Alexandria, Va., in the discretion of the Supervising Architect. O. Wenderoth, Supervising Architect. 26—e. o. d.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect Feb. 22, 1915

For Washington and points north, daily at 8:08, 8:43, 8.53 12:01, 1:18, 2:30 (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:27, 8:18, 11:33, p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, and 10:17 a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 5:17 (local) 7:07, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 9:27 a. m., daily.

NOTE!—Time of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Washington Sanitary Improvement Company will be held at the office of James R. Caton, Esq. No. 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, April 6th 1915, at 2 p. m.

GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

STRIKE THREATENED

Brewery Workers of Washington Make Certain Demands

A sympathetic strike by District of Columbia workmen in the employ of importing brewing companies was threatened yesterday by delegates of brewery workers' unions at a conference in the office of Joseph A. Burkhart, counsel and labor representative of the Schlitz, Pabst, and Anheuser-Busch companies, the Monumental Company, of Baltimore, and German Brewing Company of Cumberland.

The employees in Washington of the shipping companies made three demands to Mr. Burkhart. One demand was withdraw, the request for an increase of $1.50 a week in wages. The other request a holiday with full pay for inauguration day, and a different scheme of discharging workmen, will be considered by Mr. Burkhart today.

The workmen of the shipping companies instead of giving the companies the option of discharging men during dull business, ask that one man be laid off each day in rotation.

It is understood the threatened strike of workmen in local breweries will be brought to a definite decision tomorrow, when final conferences probably will be held.

PERISH IN BURNING MILL.

Fire Destroys $75,000 Plant at Marion, Pa.

Marion, Va., March 26.—S. P. Leech, saw filer, and his assistant, George H. Sutter, perished yesterday in the fire which destroyed the band saw mill of the United States Spruce Lumber Company. The men were in the upper part of the building. An explosion of dust caused the smoke and flames to penetrate every part of the building within a few minutes.

Leech is survived by a widow and five children and Sutter by a widow and three children.

The burned plant was recently erected at a cost of $75,000. There was insurance of $30,000.

VIRGINIA CONGRESSMAN

Senator Martin and Swanson May Remain in Washington Most of The Summer

Washington, D. C., March 26.—The departure from Washington yesterday of Congressman Watson and Montague leaves the capital city without the presence of a single Virginia congressman—that is, with the exception of Congressman Chas. C. Carlin, who lives in Alexandria and rides between there and Washington daily. Most of the others left for home two or three days after adjournment, but Judge Watson remained behind to arrange a long list of matters for his constituents in the departments here, and Governor Montague cannot get possession of his Richmond home until April 1st.

The two Virginia senators will remain in Washington almost constantly through the summer. It is doubtful if, Senator Martin will leave here at all, except for perhaps a day at a time occasionally.

Senator Swanson will most likely make a few trips into Virginia for a week or more at a time between now and December.

It is quite possible Senator and Mrs. Swanson may take the trip with congressional party to Hawaii as the guests of the territorial government commencing in April and returning in June.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C & O. No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

8:37 A. M. Daily— U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop First class coaches Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:32 A. M. Daily—Mail train coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

3:52 P. M. Daily— local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:12 P. M.—Limited for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars

6:12 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's South eastern Limited, for Ashville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullmon Drawing room sleeping cars coaches dining cars.

10:02 P. M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

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Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of the late Patrick J. Murphy, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.

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Sundays and Holidays

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

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All that messauge and lot of ground situated on the east side of Fairfax Street, between Cameron and Queen Streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia bounded as follows, viz; Beginning at the intersection of the east side of Fairfax Street with the north side of Thompson's Alley, and running thence north twenty-seven feet two inches to the centre of a brick wall; thence eastward, parallel to Queen Street, eighty five feet to a five foot alley; thence south with said alley, twenty seven feet, two inches to the said Thompson's alley thence westwardly to the beginning, with the use of the said alley, five feet wide, and the joint use of the wall between the messuage herein described and that adioining it on the north.

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Commissioners of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, do certify that Howard W. Smith, one of the Commissioners above named, has given the bond with approved security, required by the decree above mentioned.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

EXPORT FREIGHT IN WRECK

Twenty Cars on N. And W. Smashed Near Boyce, Va.

Winchester, Va., March 26—A double header northbound freight train of 40 cars loaded with cotton barrels and sacks of flour, much of it for export to Europe, coal from West Virginia mines, lumber and general merchandise was wrecked early yesterday morning on the Norfolk and Western Railway, a half mile north of Boyce, Clark county, and passenger and freight traffic was interferred with until tonight, when wrecking crews from Hagerstown and Shenandoah City completed repairs.

Twenty cars were demolished, much of the freight ruined and wreckage was hurled from right of way into fields 100 yards away. Over 600 feet of track were torn up. Neither engine left the rails.

The wreck is said to have been caused by a car near the middle buckling and jumped the track while the train was rounding a sharp curve

FOUR BURN TO DEATH

Norfolk,Va., March 26—In a fire that destroyed the home of Alex. Green colored, between Diamond Springs and Burton's Station, princess Anne county, early Wednesday morning Martho Riddick, Griffin Tilley and two colored children were burned to death. The victims of the flames slept on the second floor of the house, while Green and his family occupied the first floor.

The fire started at 4 o'clock and was caused by sparks from an open grate. Green and his family discovered the blaze in time to get out of the building in safety, but the other occupants on the second floor were caught in the death trap and perished, although every effort was made to save them.

DR. THOMAS R. ENGLISH DEAD.

He Was Professor at Union Theological Seminary.

Richmond, Va., March 26.—The Rev. Dr. Thomas Reese English, professor of New Testament at the Union Theological Seminary, was found dead in his chair yesterday morning. He is survived by his widow and three daughters.

Dr. English was born in Sumter county, South Carolina, in 1850.

BATTLE WITH MOONSHINERS.

U. S. Deputy Marshals Destroy 180-Gallon Still.

Bristol, Va., March 26.—Two or three moonshiners were wounded and one captured in a raid by Deputy United States marshals in Harlan county, Kentucky, last Wednesday night. The deputies were assisted by Chief of Police C. H. Redman, of St. Charles, and other Virginians.

The battle with the moonshiners was fought in eight inches of snow, many shots being exchanged, but without injury to any of the raiders. A still of 180 gallons capacity, together with 400 gallons of beer, was seized.

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Field Marshall French Interviewed By American Correspondent

Frederick Palmer, the American war correspondent, who is at the allies' front, has been received by Field Marshal Sir John French, commander in chief of the British expeditionary force. Gen. French discussed military affairs freely, Mr. Palmer writes.

Before the conservation was over the British commander, answering a question concerning the result of the war, said:

"Indeed, there is no doubt of the outcome. I was never so confident of victory as I am today. I am as confident as Gen. Grant was when he took command of the army of the Potomac. He kept at it, and so shall we."

"And what to you was the most critical moment of all your compaign in France?" was the next question put to Sir Jhon French.

"In the retreat from Mons at Le Cateau. We were in the open country in a very dangerous position, and the German ambition for the annihilation of our little army might have been realized if our cavalry had not been equal to its task of covering the flanks of our steady disciplined regulars."

Speaking of the French soldiers the commander in chief said:

"The French at the start were laboring under the shadow of their disastrous defeat in 1870, which might well have led both the French and the world in general to think that the German military machine was heaven born and irresistible. The French already have learned the contrary, and the world soon must if it has not.

"I need not speak of their splendid generalship or their courage in driving the Germans back from the Marne. They have the elan of Napoleon's time, thanks to the spur of renewed confidence. Man for man, they are better than the Germans today, and their army has continually improved since the war began while the German army has deteriorated.

"We have abundant evidence of the German deterioration on our own front. Their attacks lacked the former vigor and spirit. Neuve Chapelle was an important victory. It proved that with a strong push we could put the enemy out of a well fortified position and then hold what we gained.

Speaking of American Generals the field Marshal said:

"To me, Gen Jackson was more like Cromwell than any other leader in history," said the British commander. "A heroic, martial figure, whose wonderful career came to the happy close a soldier desires in the hour of victory. I have followed all his marches and battles with unflagging admiration, He had the religious exaltation of Cromwell, his dash and determination, and his ready stategy and the genius of inspiration his troops with his own indomitable spirit of energy.

"But of all your commanders, Robert E. Lee, n his patience, his resource, his poise, his soundness of judgment, and his possession of the qualities of high command in all emergencies is foremost in my opinon."

As a soldier speaking of his enemy Sir John French was far from depreciating the fighting qualities of the Germans. To the troops of Emperor William he paid a soldier's chivalrous tribute. "But they are no greater than other soldiers," he said. "I attribute their valor and their well disciplined cohersion to the fact from the cradle they are taught discipline and to worship their emperor and the Fatherland, and that it is their duty to die for the Fatherland when their emperor commands."

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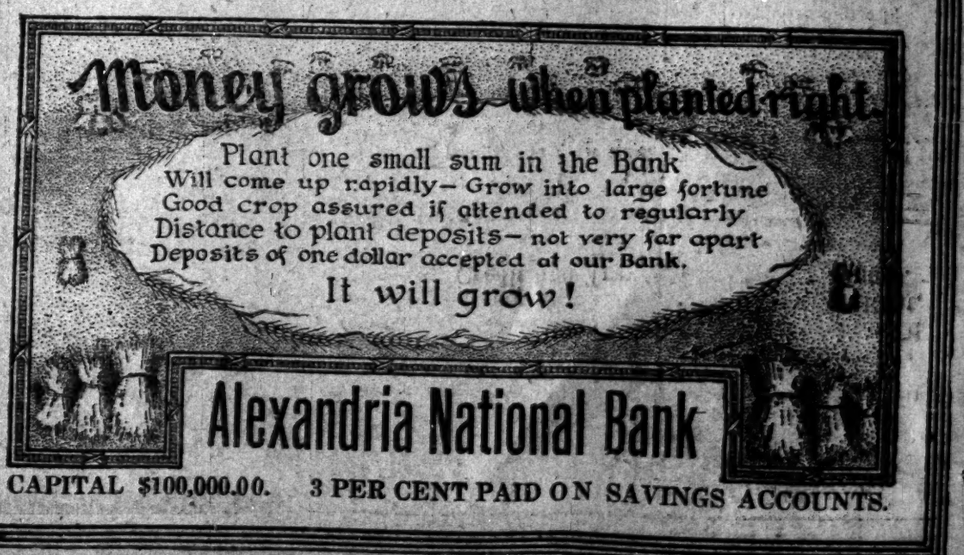
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